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REQUEST FOR STATUS

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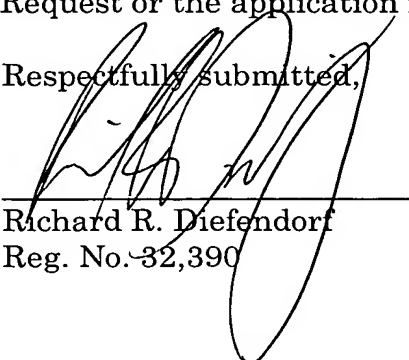
Sir:

Our records indicate that we have not received any correspondence in reference to the above-identified application since we received a Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document dated February 9, 2004. Please advise the undersigned of the status of the application.

It would be appreciated if the undersigned were telephoned in the event there are any questions related to this Request or the application in general.

Respectfully submitted,

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